

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

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UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION,	:
NIPPON STEEL CORPORATION, and NIPPON	:
STEEL NORTH AMERICA, INC.	:
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Plaintiffs,	:
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vs.	:
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CLEVELAND-CLIFFS INC., LOURENCO	:
GONCALVES, and DAVID McCALL	:
	:
Defendants.	:
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MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE OF STEFAN P. SCHROPP

Stefan P. Schropp, undersigned counsel for Plaintiffs Nippon Steel Corporation and Nippon Steel North America, Inc., hereby moves that Stefan P. Schropp be admitted to appear and practice in this Court in the above-captioned matter as counsel pro hac vice for Plaintiffs Nippon Steel Corporation and Nippon Steel North America, Inc. in the above-captioned matter pursuant to LCvR 83.2, LCvR 83.3, and this Court's Standing Order Regarding Pro Hac Vice Admissions dated May 31, 2006 (Misc. No. 06-151).

In support of this motion, undersigned counsel attaches the Affidavit for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Stefan P. Schropp filed herewith, which, it is averred, satisfies the requirements of the foregoing Local Rules and Standing Order.

Respectfully submitted

Dated: January 6, 2025

/s/ Stefan P. Schropp

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**AFFIDAVIT OF STEFAN P. SCHROPP IN SUPPORT OF MOTION
FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE**

I, Stefan P. Schropp, make this affidavit in support of the motion for my admission to appear and practice in this Court in the above-captioned matter as counsel pro hac vice for Plaintiffs Nippon Steel Corporation and Nippon Steel North America, Inc. in the above-captioned matter pursuant to LCvR 83.2, LCvR 83.3, and this Court's Standing Order Regarding Pro Hac Vice Admissions dated May 31, 2006 (Misc. No. 06-151).

I, Stefan P. Schropp, being duly sworn, do hereby depose and say as follows:

1. I am an Associate of the law firm of Ropes & Gray LLP.
2. My business address is 2099 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20006-6807.
3. I am a member in good standing of the bars of Washington, D.C., Maryland, the U.S. Supreme Court, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 4th Circuit, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 9th Circuit, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 11th Circuit, the U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland, and the U.S. District Court for the Middle District of Georgia.

4. My bar identification numbers are 1026864 (Washington, D.C.), 1702130002 (Maryland), 315905 (U.S. Supreme Court), and 21699 (U.S. District Court for the District of Maryland).

5. A current certificate of good standing from Washington, D.C. is attached to this Affidavit as Exhibit A.

6. I attest that I am a registered user of ECF in the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

7. I attest that I have read, know, and understand the Local Rules of Court for the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

8. Based upon the foregoing, I respectfully request that I be granted pro hac vice admission in this matter.

I certify and attest that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are false, I am subject to punishment.

Respectfully submitted

Dated: January 6, 2025

/s/ Stefan P. Schropp
Stefan P. Schropp

EXHIBIT A



*On behalf of JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals,
the District of Columbia Bar does hereby certify that*

Stefan Parker Schropp

*was duly qualified and admitted on November 3, 2017 as an attorney and counselor entitled to
practice before this Court; and is, on the date indicated below, an Active member in good
standing of this Bar.*

*In Testimony Whereof,
I have hereunto subscribed my
name and affixed the seal of this
Court at the City of
Washington, D.C., on December 12, 2024.*

Julio A. Castillo
JULIO A. CASTILLO
Clerk of the Court

Issued By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Chu".

*David Chu - Director, Membership
District of Columbia Bar Membership*

***For questions or concerns, please contact the D.C. Bar Membership Office at 202-626-3475 or email
memberservices@dcbar.org.***

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PROPOSED ORDER

AND NOW, to wit, this _____ day of January, 2025, upon consideration of the Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* of Stefan P. Schropp, it is hereby ORDERED that said Motion be and hereby is GRANTED and Stefan P. Schropp is hereby admitted to this Court *pro hac vice* for the purpose of representing Plaintiffs Nippon Steel Corporation and Nippon Steel North America, Inc. in the above-captioned actions.

BY THE COURT:
